Sec. 6. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several States within seven years from the date of its submission"; therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Maryland,

- 1. That the foregoing amendment to the Constitution of the United States be and the same is hereby ratified to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution of the United States.
- 2. That the Governor of the State of Maryland be and he is hereby requested to forward to the Secretary of State and to the presiding officer of the United States Senate and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States an authentic copy of the foregoing resolution.

Approved March 31, 1933.

NO. 4.

A Joint Resolution memorializing Congress of the United States to enact House Joint Resolution 191 commemorating the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the naturalization as an American citizen in 1783 of Brigadier General Thaddeus Kosciuszko, a hero of the Revolutionary War, by issuing special series of postage stamps in honor of Brigadier General Thaddeus Kosciuszko.

WHEREAS, On October 13, 1933, will occur the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the naturalization as an American citizen of Brigadier General Thaddeus Kosciuszko, a hero of the Revolutionary War; and

WHEREAS, The service rendered by him was of great value and assistance to the cause of American Independence and of such high importance that on October 13, 1783, he was appointed Brevet Brigadier General of the Continental Army, and was granted naturalization as an American citizen; and